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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Application of

Applicant(s) : Arturo J. Garcia and Arturo H. Garcia
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ENHANCING ELECTRONIC
AUDIO SIGNALS
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Examiner : X. Mei
Art Unit : 2747

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

This paper is being filed concurrently with an Appeal Brief and in response to the final Office Action mailed on September 28, 1999. A Notice of Appeal was filed on February 23, 2000. A request for a two month extension of time accompanies this paper.

Reconsideration and reexamination are respectfully requested in light of the amendments and remarks below.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 51, 52 and 53 as follows:

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51. (Amended) The apparatus is recited in Claim 31, wherein said input audio signal comprises at least one of an audio signal of music, vocals, and singing [and other such sounds].